

(As of February 20, 2001)

Section 6-1110. Civil Service Commission --

1. Membership. The civil service commission shall consist of five members who shall believe in the principles of the merit system in public employment. Of the members appointed, one shall be selected from among persons employed in private industry in either skilled or unskilled laboring positions as distinguished from executive or professional positions. Not more than three members of the commission shall belong to the same political party. The commission shall be governed by the provisions of Section 13-103 of this charter.

2. Powers, Duties and Functions. The civil service commission shall:

 (a) Advise the mayor and the director of human resources on problems concerning personnel administration.

 (b) Advise and assist the director in fostering the interest of institutions of learning and of civic, professional and employee organizations in the improvement of personnel standards.

 (c) Make any investigation which it may consider desirable concerning personnel administration and report to the mayor, at least once a year, its findings, conclusions and recommendations. The commission may appoint a master and invest the master with power to conduct such investigations and report thereon to the commission.

 (d) Hear appeals. The commission may appoint a master and invest the master with power to hear such appeals and report thereon to the commission.

 (e) Prescribe rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this chapter of the charter.

3. Interference with Administrative Affairs. Except for purposes of inquiry, neither the civil service commission nor its members shall interfere in any way with the administrative affairs of the department. (*Reso. 83-357; 1992 General Election Charter Amendment Question No. 26; 1998 Reorganization*)